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 Patent Number 6,916,830
Inventor: Kyungae Lee et al.

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		Application Number	Patent #, 6,916,830
		Filing Date	Issued: July 12, 2005
		First Named Inventor	Kyungae Lee
		Examiner Name	Z. N. Davis
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Art Unit	1625
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\\$) 2,620.00	Attorney Docket No.	56948CON(72021)

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FEE CALCULATION							
1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES							
Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	330	165	540	270	220	110	
Design	220	110	100	50	140	70	
Plant	220	110	330	165	170	85	
Reissue	330	165	540	270	650	325	
Provisional	220	110	0	0	0	0	
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES							
Fee Description							
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)							
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)							
Multiple dependent claims							
Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims			
- 20 or HP =	x	=					
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.							
Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Fee (\$)			
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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE							
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$270 (\$135 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).							
Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)			
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4. OTHER FEE(S)							
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)							
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge):							
1551 Maintenance fee due at 3.5 years							
1558 Surcharge after expiration - Late payment is ...							
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Signature			Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	57,665	Telephone (617) 517-5588		
Name (Print/Type)	Dwight D. Kim, Ph.D.		Date	March 24, 2010			

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**PETITION TO ACCEPT UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED PAYMENT OF
MAINTENANCE FEE IN AN EXPIRED PATENT (37 CFR 1.378(c))**

Docket Number (Optional)
56948CON(72021)

Mail to: Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Fax: (571) 273-8300

NOTE: If information or assistance is needed in completing this form, please contact Petitions Information at (571) 272-3282.

Patent No. 6,916,830 Application Number 10/824,826
Issue Date July 12, 2005 Filing Date April 15, 2004

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The above-identified patent:

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Pattee claims, or has previously claimed, small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

2. LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS

Pattee is no longer entitled to small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27(g).

3. MAINTENANCE FEE (37 CFR 1.20(e)-(g))

The appropriate maintenance fee must be submitted with this petition, unless it was paid earlier.

NOT Small Entity			Small Entity		
Amount	Fee	(Code)	Amount	Fee	(Code)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 980.00	3 1/2 yr fee	(1551)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	3 1/2 yr fee	(2551)
<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	7 1/2 yr fee	(1552)	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____	7 1/2 yr fee	(2552)
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4. SURCHARGE

The surcharge required by 37 CFR 1.20(i)(2) of \$ 1,640.00 (Fee Code 1558) must be paid as a condition of accepting unintentionally delayed payment of the maintenance fee.

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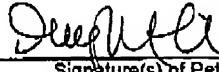
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8. STATEMENT

The delay in payment of the maintenance fee to this patent was unintentional as shown in the attached Petition for Revival of a Patent Abandoned Unintentionally.

9. PETITIONER(S) REQUEST THAT THE DELAYED PAYMENT OF THE MAINTENANCE FEE BE ACCEPTED AND THE PATENT REINSTATEDED.



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37 CFR 1.378(d) states: "Any petition under this section must be signed by an attorney or agent registered to practice before the Patent and Trademark Office, or by the patentee, the assignee, or other party in interest."

ENCLOSURES:

Maintenance Fee payment

Surcharge under 37 CFR 1.20(i)(2) (fee for filing the maintenance fee petition)

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In re Patent Application of:
Kyungae Lee et al.

Application No.: 10/824,826 (now US 6,916,830)

Confirmation No.: 7734

Filed: April 15, 2004

Art Unit: 1625

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Examiner: Davis, Z. N.

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF A PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER
37 CFR 1.137(b)

MS Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

1. Patentee hereby petitions for revival of US Patent 6,916,830 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). US Patent 6,916,830 became abandoned unintentionally.
2. The above-identified US Patent 6,916,830 became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper payment of the 3.5 year maintenance fee. The maintenance fee was finally due with surcharge on July 12, 2009.
3. The undersigned first became aware yesterday, March 23, 2010, of the abandonment of US Patent 6,916,830 upon review of the patent with a representative of the patent's current owner.
4. The above referenced US patent was filed and prosecuted by in-house counsel of Neurogen Corporation. Evidence clearly indicates that Neurogen Corporation intended to maintain US Patent 6,916,830, even though the maintenance fee was not

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timely paid by Neurogen Corporation. Thus, communications regarding Neurogen Corporation's assignment of US Patent 6,916,830 began well prior to the payment deadline of July 12, 2009. US Patent 6,916,830 was assigned to Novartis International Pharmaceutical, Ltd., on February 26, 2009. As mentioned, Petitioners first became aware of the lapsed deadline to pay the 3.5 year annuity yesterday, March 23, 2010.

5. The entire delay in paying the 3.5 year maintenance fee from the due date until the filing of the instant grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. It is submitted, therefore, that on the basis described above the abandonment should be held to be inadvertent, the present Petition granted and payment should be entered and the patent revived.

6. Patentee therefore petitions for acceptance of a late maintenance fee and for reinstatement of U.S. Patent No. 6,916,830, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.378(c) and/or 37 CFR §1.378(e). As required by 37 CFR §1.378(c), the Petition dated March 24, 2010, is filed within twenty-four months after the six-month grace period provided in §1.362(e).

7. In addition, a "Loss of Entitlement to Small Entity Status" is being filed on even date herewith. Small entity status is no longer claimed for the subject patent. Therefore, it is believed that the appropriate maintenance fee for the subject patent is \$980.00. The Director is hereby authorized to charge this amount to our Deposit Account no. 04-1105 (as noted in the accompanying "Request under 37 CFR §1.28 to Excuse Error in Payment of Small Entity Fees and Request for Change of Entity Status").

8. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 04-1105 in the amount of \$1,640.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m), and \$400.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(f). The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1105, under Order No. 56948(72021).

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Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS

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Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicants hereby notifies the Patent and Trademark Office that it is not entitled to status as a small entity, and that the claim for small entity status filed by the Applicant is hereby withdrawn.

Dated: March 24, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

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